

ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION

April 28, 2000

Re: 00-0248

Michael Guerra
John W. McCaffrey
Attys. for First Choice America
Telecommunications, Inc.
Hopkins & Sutter
70 W. Madison, Ste. 4100
Chicago, IL 60602

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed is a copy of the Memorandum from the Hearing Examiner to the Commission regarding recommended action at the Bench Session on April 26, 2000. The Order presented to the Commission was entered with no changes and therefore, is not enclosed.

Sincerely,

Donna M. Caton Chief Clerk

DMC:jbm Enclosure

Docket No: 00-0248 **Bench Date:** 4/26/00

Deadline: N/A

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TO:

The Commission

FROM:

Deborah King, Hearing Examiner

DATE:

April 19, 2000

SUBJECT:

First Choice America Telecommunications, Inc.

Application for a certificate of local and interexchange authority to operate as a reseller of telecommunications

services statewide in the State of Illinois.

RECOMMENDATION:

Enter Order granting Applicant a Certificate of Service

Authority and a Certificate of Interexchange Service Authority.

Applicant is an Illinois corporation seeking Certificates of Service Authority to provide telecommunications services within the State of Illinois pursuant to Section 13-403 and 13-404 of the Illinois Public Utilities Act. Applicant demonstrated that it has the necessary financial, managerial and technical resources to operate its business. Accordingly, I recommend that Applicant be granted a Certificate of Service Authority and a Certificate of Interexchange Service Authority.

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